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AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 9-096, as amended, by further amending section 16, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 9-105, 9-142, 10-4 and 10-33, to change the allottee of funds appropriated for the Joint Committee on Compact Economic Negotiations, and for other purposes.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA:

1           Section 1. Section 16 of Public Law No. 9-096, as amended by Public Laws Nos.  
2   9-105, 9-142, 10-4 and 10-33, is hereby further amended to read as follows:  
3           "Section 16. Allotment and management of funds and lapse date. All funds  
4           appropriated by this act shall be allotted, managed, administered, and  
5           accounted for in accordance with applicable law, including, but not limited  
6           to, the Financial Management Act of 1979; PROVIDED, however, that the  
7           funds appropriated to Chuuk State under subsection (3) of section 10 of  
8           this act shall be retained in the General Fund of the Federated States of  
9           Micronesia until a scholarship recipient is identified to the President or  
10          the President's designee, at which time scholarship funds in the amount of  
11          the scholarship award shall be disbursed directly to the educational  
12          institution in the form of a two-party check payable to both the  
13          scholarship recipient and the educational institution he or she is attending;  
14          and PROVIDED FURTHER, that the allottees for the funds appropriated  
15          under subsection (2)(o), (2)(ee)(i), (2)(ee)(ii), and (2)(ee)(iv) of  
16          section 11 of this act shall be the Governors of the respective States, and  
17          no funds appropriated under subsection (2)(o) of section 11 of this act  
18          shall be disbursed from the General Fund to the allottees unless the  
19          President certifies that the State involved has entered into a joint law  
20          enforcement agreement for the period of October 1, 1996, to September  
21          30, 1997, with the National Government pursuant to chapter 12 of title  
22          12 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia; and PROVIDED

1 FURTHER, that the allottees for the funds appropriated under subsection  
2 (2)(s) of section 11 of this act shall be the Chief Justices of the  
3 respective States; and PROVIDED FURTHER, that the allottee of the funds  
4 appropriated under subsection (2)(gg) of section 11 shall be the  
5 President of the College of Micronesia, FSM; and PROVIDED FURTHER, that  
6 the allottee of the funds appropriated under subsections (2)(c) and  
7 (3)(d) of section 7 of this act shall be the Governor of the State of Yap,  
8 and that the allottee of all other funds appropriated under section 7 of this  
9 act shall be the President of the Federated States of Micronesia, or his  
10 designee; and PROVIDED FURTHER, that the allottee of the funds  
11 appropriated under subsection (3) of section 11 of this act shall be the  
12 chairman of the Joint Committee on Compact Economic Negotiations; and  
13 PROVIDED FURTHER, that the allottee of the funds appropriated under  
14 subsection (1) of section 13 shall be the Director of the Office of  
15 Administrative Services. Each allottee shall be responsible for ensuring  
16 that these funds, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are used solely  
17 for the purpose specified in this act, and that no obligations are incurred  
18 in excess of the sum appropriated. The authority of the allottees to  
19 obligate funds appropriated by this act shall lapse as of September 30,  
20 1997; PROVIDED, however, that the authority of the allottees to obligate  
21 funds appropriated by sections 1(2)(i)(v), 7, 9, 10, 11(2)(w), and 13  
22 shall not lapse; and PROVIDED FURTHER, that the authority of the allottee  
23 of the funds appropriated by subsection (11)(b)(iii) of section 1 and  
24 subsections (2)(ee) and (3) of section 11 shall lapse as of September 30,  
25 1998; PROVIDED FURTHER, that the authority of the allottee of the funds

1                   appropriated by subsection (2)(f) of section 2 shall lapse as of December  
2                   31, 1998; and PROVIDED FURTHER, that the authority of the allottee to  
3                   obligate such portion of funds appropriated by subsection (2)(h) of  
4                   section 1 for the yen purchase that is in excess of the amount necessary to  
5                   make said purchase shall expire upon completion of said purchase."

6                   Section 2. This act shall become law upon approval by the President of the  
7                   Federated States of Micronesia or upon its becoming law without such approval.

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President  
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